



State of Tennessee

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 347

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School as Tennessee State Champions.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially recognize and commend those successful teams that, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to the State of Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School evince exemplary dedication and excellence in all their endeavors, having recently thrilled their enthusiastic supporters by winning first place in two divisions at the Future Problem Solving State Competition; and

WHEREAS, academic endeavors which focus on critical thinking, analysis, and creativity, Future Problem Solver competitions involve teams of four students each which are presented with a written problem; and

WHEREAS, that problem must be analyzed from sixteen perspectives with focus on one underlying problem; teams go on to write sixteen solutions to that one problem, decide the best solution, and write an elaborate action plan, and all these tasks must be completed in a two-hour time period; and

WHEREAS, the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School enjoy the keen insight and wisdom of their teacher, Dr. Emily Mofield, who serves as team sponsor and academic advisor; and

WHEREAS, the esteemed members of this championship team are: Peyton Holman, Jacob Wiseman, Katerina Freeman, Alexis Harman, Chloe Gay, Rebecca Brown, Amanda Langford, Autumn Bates, Gracie Hale, and Kristen Miller; and

WHEREAS, the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School will proudly go on to represent Tennessee in competition against more than two thousand fellow students at the International Future Problem Solvers Conference in LaCrosse, Wisconsin, in June, 2011; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly commend the young men and women of the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School on their remarkable accomplishment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Dr. Emily Mofield and the Future Problem Solvers of White House Middle School on their State Championship victory, and extend to them our heartiest wishes for continued success at the International Future Problem Solvers Conference and in the years to come.

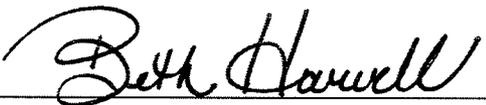
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: May 19, 2011



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 24th day of May 2011



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR